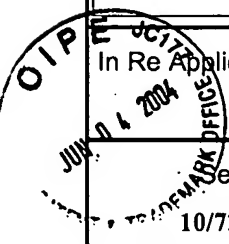


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Pursuant to the duty to disclose under 37 CFR §1.56, Applicant submits herewith Forms PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B listing references of which the Applicant is aware and which are brought to the attention of the Examiner. In accordance with 37 CFR §1.98(a)(2), a copy of each document listed in the enclosed Forms PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B is submitted herewith excluding U.S. patent references.

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Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the items listed and requests the Examiner to return a copy of the attached Forms PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B after being marked as being considered by the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,



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